## REMARKS

## I. Interview Summary

Applicant thanks the Examiner for the interview held on August 30, 2004. The Examiner and Brian Harris discussed the arguments made in Applicant's response filed on August 23, 2004. They additionally discussed various claim amendments that would put the application in condition for allowance.

## II. Claim Amendments

Claims 1 and 15-23 have been canceled. Applicant has amended claim 2 to include the elements of claims 5, 6, 7 and 11, and these claims have been canceled. Various other dependent claims have been amended to change their dependences. Claim 24 has been added, and it includes the elements of claims 2, 5, 13 and 14. Newly added dependent claims 25-33 follow dependent claims 3-4 and 6-12. Applicant respectfully submits that these amendments place the application in condition for allowance, and accordingly requests that the Examiner enter these amendments and issue a Notice of Allowability. If any questions or issues remain, the Examiner is invited to contact Applicant's attorney, Brian Harris, at his direct dial number of (312) 913-3303.

Respectfully submitted,

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